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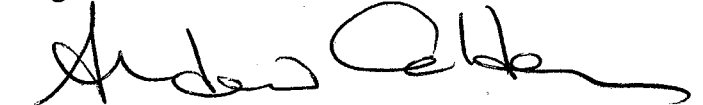
**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), please extend the three month shortened statutory period for responding to the Office action dated September 7, 2006 by two (2) months, *i.e.*, from December 7, 2006 to February 7, 2007. Payment in the amount of \$450.00 for the fee set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(a)(2) is submitted herewith. Please charge any additional fees necessary for consideration of the papers filed herein, and refund excess payments, to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,  
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